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## Hartnell Transfers To UC Receive Highest Average

Hartnell College transfers to the University of California during the past three years have attained higher grades than transfers from any other large junior colleges.

This was announced today by President John B. Lemos. He said that the 1.37 grade point average earned by Hartnell transfers is the highest for any junior college sending more than 50 students to the state university during the school years 1946-47, 1947-48, and 1948-49.

During this three-year period, Mr. Lemos pointed out, 109 students have transferred from Hartnell College to the University of California, both Los Angeles and Berkeley. These students had a 1.71 grade point average for their junior college work and earned a 1.37 average during the first semester at U.C.

Information for Mr. Lemos' report was received from the office of relations with schools at the University of California. The university makes annual reports to public and private junior colleges and four-year schools regarding the first semester record of transfers.

Hartnell College, the report showed, not only had the highest record for large public junior colleges but had an average for the three years that was slightly better than the average of all state college transfers.

Hartnell transfers to the state university for the year 1948-49, the latest covered by the report, earned the same average of 1.37 that Hartnell College has for the three-year period.

"This 1.37 average," Mr. Lemos said, "shows Hartnell improving from a 1.33 average the year before. During the same time public junior colleges dropped from a 1.30 average to 1.26."

"In other words," Mr. Lemos (Continued On Page 3)

### PROGRAMMING

Programming for 152 Salinas Union High School seniors will be held March 17 at Hartnell College, it was announced recently by Mr. Jerry Girdner, registrar. This will be the first year in which an attempt will be made to program and to acquaint generally the graduating seniors of the local high schools with Hartnell before graduation. Students from other high schools will be programmed at later dates.

Students who will be here on the 17th with have lunch at 11:30 a.m., then the programming will be held from 1 to 3 in the afternoon.

## "Isle of Capri" Dance Tonight

### Marguerite Sander Given Lead in 'Enchanted Cottage'

Marguerite Sander of Salinas has been chosen to play the leading role of Laura in the next Hartnell production, "The Enchanted Cottage."

Arthur Pinero's three-act play, described by Director Hal H. Ulrici as the "most impressive" of this year's Hartnell productions, will be put on in the college Little Theater March 30, 31, and April 1.

The play originally is set in the period following World War I, but Mr. Ulrici has chosen to move the action up to the present.

Don Lo Presti will portray Oliver Bashforth, the veteran disfigured in the war. His mother and stepfather, Mrs. Smallwood and Rupert Smallwood, will be played by Gloria Scroggs and Geordie Corbett.

Richard Cimino has been chosen to play the blind Major Hillgrove. Others in the cast include Dick Rohrbacher as the Rev. Corsellis; Phyllis Williams as Mrs. Corsellis; and Jim Smith as Riggs. Heler Wolber will appear for the first time on the Hartnell stage in the role of the housekeeper, Mrs. Minnett.

Members of the production staff include: Don Schrupp, stage manager; Jim Smith, electrician; Pat Pollock, prop manager; Virginia Vierra, makeup and wardrobe.

Mr. Ulrici, stage design; Gardner Pond, programs; Carla Adams, prompter.

The cast started rehearsals last week.

### Radio Dramas Moved to KDON

Regular half-hour dramatic show produced by members of the college radio drama class will move this week to station KDON.

For their first show on KDON, the cast will present Oliver Goldsmith's comedy, "She Stoops to Conquer." No time has been definitely set for the broadcast, but it will possibly be aired Monday evening.

Members of the class will broadcast their weekly show, "College Is the Life," this afternoon at 5:05 over the same station.

### PAJAMARINO

The annual Pajamarino, originally planned for March 10, has been postponed until April 14, "Bunky" Millsap, freshman class president, announced today.

### Commission To Revise Constitution

A five-member committee will begin soon the revision of the student body constitution, it was decided at Tuesday's commission meeting.

Made up of commission members, the committee includes Pat Pollock, chairman; Gardner Pond, secretary; Wayne Ingols, Bonnie Hearn, and Bruce McCallum.

According to President George Miljanich, the number of "discrepancies" in the present constitution necessitates its revision, or possibly, rewriting.

It was suggested by Gardner Pond that "open meetings" be held at various times during the revision to allow students to make suggestions before the new constitution is eventually put to a student vote.

Wayne Ingols, commissioner of social activities, brought out the fact that under Roberts' "Rules of Order," only nine, or possibly 10 headings, should be included in the main body of a constitution: name, object, membership, officers, meetings, committees, amendments, quorum, executive authority, and parliamentary authority. Everything else should come under rule of order of standing rules, according to Ingols.

The committee will meet soon to begin the revision.

Tom Ford reported at Tuesday's meeting that jukebox income for the past three weeks was \$24.

Commissioner of Finance Evelyn Temmermand announced budget committee meetings will begin on March 8.

### Benefit Dance In Santa Cruz

Sponsored by the Marri-Eds, the second annual dance for the benefit of the Santa Cruz Crippled Children's Society's summer camp will be held at the Coconut Grove at Santa Cruz on March 18. Music will be furnished by Ray Hackett and his C.B.S. orchestra, and dancing will be from 9 to 1. Tickets may be obtained at the door.

### Newman Dance In Caf After Monterey Game

After the game in the gym tonight, join the crowd in an excursion to the Isle of Capri. Yes, the setting for the big Newman Club dance in the cafeteria will be that romantic spot found only in songland except for tonight only. Music will be furnished by the eight-piece orchestra of John Alsop.

Club President Bob Cancellieri has promised the best in the way of decorations and entertainment for the dance. The romantic atmosphere of the famous island will be conveyed to those attending through the decorations to be provided by Virginia Vierra and her decoration committee.

Richard Cimino will emcee the entertainment to be provided, which will include songs by Cancellieri, music by Benny Marcus, and a skit by Cimino. Free refreshments will be available to those present, and three door prizes will be given during the evening.

Tickets for the dance will be on sale for 75 cents stag and \$1.25 couples. Under the chairmanship of Nancy Bardin, the following have headed committees for the dance: Virginia Vierra, decorations; Helen Wolber, refreshments; Francis Scilacci, tickets; Bill Casalegno, entertainment; and Dee Fosselman, publicity.

### 'Sadie Hawkins' Plans Formed

Last Friday U.G.C. held a meeting in the Little Theater to discuss plans for the coming Sadie Hawkins' Day to be held on March 17.

Committee heads were named by President Barbara Johnson and their special duties were outlined. They include: publicity, Pat Pollock; refreshments, Liz Anderson; decorations, Betty Jo Nation; dance, Dee Fosselman; program for the day, Ilene Wolfe; policing, Helen Wolber; entertainment, Bonnie Hearn, and cleanup, Barbara Johnson.

Since last year's Sadie Hawkins' Day was such a success, this year's plans are starting early so as to make it the best day ever.

Girls who did not attend the meeting and are interested in signing up on one of the committees are urged to contact Barbara Johnson.



Marguerite Sander  
— Courtesy Salinas Californian

### 126 Apply for June Graduation

President John B. Lemos has announced that 126 students have applied for graduation on June 16, 1950.

Lower division leads in the number of students applying with 74, following by occupational division with 46, and general college with 6.

Students are requested to check the list posted on the bulletin board for candidates for graduation. If a student finds that his name does not appear, he should check with Mr. Jerry Girdner in the main office. If his name is incorrectly spelled, he should inform the main office immediately.

### COMBINED DINNER

Combined Newman and Westminster club dinner was held last Friday evening at the United Presbyterian Church, after which the group adjourned to the college basketball game. The Rev. M. L. Kemper was honor guest.



## Air Force Officer Team Arriving Here March 13

An air force officer team will arrive here March 13 to interview college men and women interested in careers as officers in the United States Air Force.

The visit to Hartnell is part of a nation-wide program being conducted by the air force to build up an officer corps composed in large part of college graduates, said Capt. F. S. Raggio, here to make advance arrangements.

Students will have opportunity, he said, to learn about the various officer training programs, the requirements and processing procedure. Those qualified may submit applications and be examined by the air force officer team so that they can begin training as soon as they finish college.

The team members, with headquarters at the dean of women's office, will explain three types of training:

**1. Aviation Cadet Pilot Training.** Young men selected as aviation cadets receive one year of flying, academic, and military training. Graduates are commissioned as second lieutenants in the air force reserve and awarded the silver wings of a pilot.

To be eligible for pilot training, men must be single, between the ages of 20 and 26½, citizens, must have completed two or more years of college, and meet high physical and moral qualifications. Classes begin every six weeks.

**2. Aviation Cadet Navigator Training.** To meet an increasing need for navigators, the air force has opened an aviation cadet navigator school at Ellington Air Force Base, Houston, Texas. Qualified young men are trained for one year in the latest techniques of radar navigation. Classes begin every month.

Graduates receive reserve commissions as second lieutenants, with aeronautical rating as navigator. After a 30-day leave with pay, they are assigned to navigation duty on the new long-range bombers and



Capt. Frank S. Raggio, USAF

transports of the air force.

**3. Air Force Officer Candidate School.** Young men and women seeking nonflying careers in the air force receive military leadership training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas. Classes begin in January, April, July, and October.

Graduates receive reserve commissions as second lieutenants and are assigned to three years of active duty in junior executive positions in administrative and technical fields. While on active duty they have opportunity to compete for regular commissions.

To be eligible, men and women must be between the ages of 20½ and 26½, either married or single, citizens, must have completed two years of college, must be in good physical condition, and meet high moral and personal qualifications.

In any of the training programs, the air force officer said, students who for any reason fail to complete the work are returned to civilian life.

## CAMPU SOLOGY

By GEORGE JACKSON

An appeal has been issued by Mr. Richard Carlisle on behalf of two incapacitated bicycles belonging to the Men's Club. The bicycles were purchased by the club for the use of students who desire to go down town but have no means of transportation.

Mr. Carlisle said the club wants to repair the bikes and will furnish all parts needed, but manpower is desperately needed in order to put vehicles in good running order. Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their Men's Club and volunteer to repair the bikes.

Two of our alumni recently received honors, one as a queen, the other as a star salesman. Miss Pat Wagoner was crowned queen of the L.D.S. Green Gold Ball held in Watsonville recently. Pat attended the college here last semester and is now employed by the state unemployment office in Watsonville.

Another successful alumnus was Gene Muoio, who won \$100 for placing first among employees of Montgomery Ward stores in the seven western states in a recent sales contest. Gene is employed by the Montgomery Ward store in Watsonville as manager of their sporting goods department.

One of the big attractions around the campus lately has been the noon intramural basketball games. These well-played, but not as well officiated, games give the audiences as much entertainment as they give the players. The object of the players is to put the ball through the hoop; the object of the fans is to joke about the players; and the object of the referees is to become oblivious to as much fouling as they possibly can.

It seems Hartnell College has a patron who is an alumnus of Stanford University and lives on Pebble Beach. This alumnus made a generous offer to any student who desired to attend the regional meeting of the Stanford alumni held at Monterey last Wednesday. He offered to pay the registration fee of any Hartnell student who wanted to attend the various sessions and listen to the many speakers, including Dr. B. L. Borough.

The alumnus wished to remain anonymous, but the many students who did make the trip to the meeting certainly would like to thank him for this gesture.

Because of the fact that we were not in school Wednesday in celebration of one Mr. George Washington's birthday in 1732, it might be well to quote a few lines about Washington in closing: "Washington—first in war, first in peace, and last in the American League."

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## AUSONIO SOLOS

Andrew Ausonio, Flying Club member, soloed on February 13, it was announced recently by Salinas Municipal Airport officials. He made his flight after about nine hours of flying time. When he has a total of 30 hours' flying time, he is eligible to receive his pilot's license. Andy, who is La Reata and Panther Sentinel photographer, expects to receive this license in about a month.

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## Ski Club Trip Over March 4, 5

Ski Club President Don Mignola has announced the Ski Club will make a trip to the Santa Cruz Ski Lodge over March 4 and 5. Cost of the trip will be \$9, payable at the main office. This will cover food, room, and transportation.

Mignola said that during this trip there will be interjunior college ski competition to be held at the Auburn Ski Resort, about 15 miles from the Santa Cruz lodge. Events will be jumping, slalom, giant slalom, and cross country.

## Beet Project Begun at A&M

Bill Throgmorton and Don Smith, two Hartnell A. and M. students, have undertaken a sugar beet project in their special problems class.

The students have 10 acres of land which they are now in the process of preparing for planting beets.

The ground has been tested, and the results show that it is in the best condition. The boys added 10 tons of lime before they started plowing the ground, and in a few days they plan to have the ground adequately prepared for the beet seeds.

Throgmorton and Smith will undertake the job of irrigating the field when the beets start growing. Their goal is 30 tons of sugar beets to the acre.

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## Plans for Annual Carnival Set Up

Tentative plans for this year's carnival, to be held May 5, have been set up, Interclub Council President Bob Cancellieri has announced.

This year's general plan for the carnival will be very similar to last year's, with the various clubs having exhibits and booths at the carnival.

Benefiting from the carnival of 1949 was the student union fund.

The theme for this year's carnival has not been selected. Cancellieri said the council has many ideas to help make the carnival a success, but he welcomes any suggestions on ways to help make the carnival of 1950 an even greater event than last year's.

## Clo Castro Voted Art Club Head

Clo Castro was elected last week to head the Art Club, according to Mr. Leon Amyx, advisor of the club.

Other officers elected were Ralph Goings, vice-president; Pat Eldridge, secretary; and Gayle Caskey, publicity chairman. There will be a runoff between Franalee Buchheister and Ken Smythe for the position of treasurer. The executive committee will be appointed soon, according to President Castro.

Tentative plans have been made for the activities of the club, and they are as follows:

March 8: Trip to Fort Ord to study murals.

March 15: Oil painting, speaker, Richard Lofton.

April 11: Water color, speaker, Alexander Nepote.

April 25: Art movie.

April 28: Art Club dance.

May 9: Commercial art speaker.

May 18: Picnic painting trip.

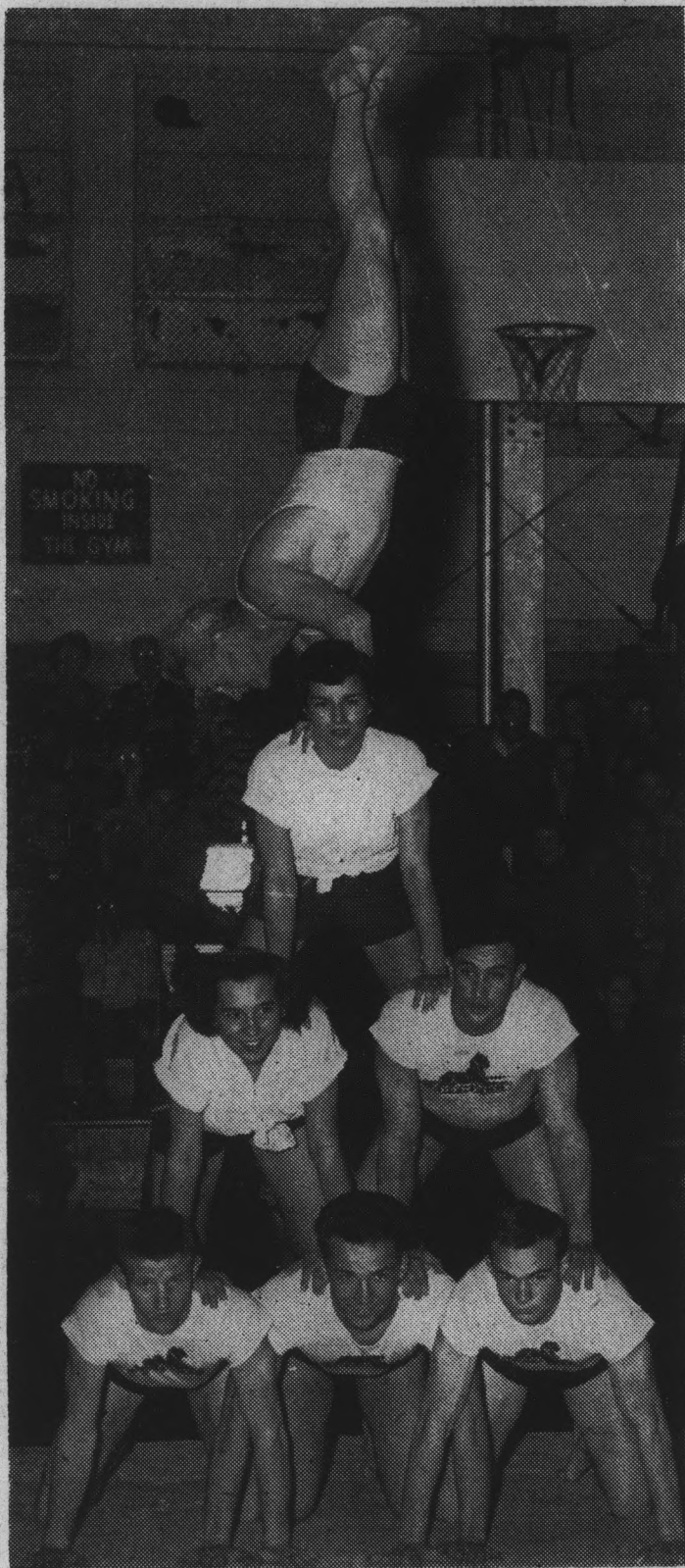
According to Mr. Amyx, membership will be accepted in the club until Monday, February 27, and dues must be paid by then.

## Hawaiian Day Set for March 3

Plans are now in full swing for the big March 3 Hawaiian Day, initiations, and dance, according to Jim Akimo, club president.

The idea of the initiation is to introduce members to the Hawaiian customs, and will last the entire day. Those interested in joining the club, and participating in the day's activities should see Jim.

The dance will be strictly in the Hawaiian theme, according to Margie Mathers, chairman. Decorations and cleanup will be done by Frank Paz and his committee, and publicity will be handled by Dolores Fosselman and Robin Lowry.



Members of G. Darwin Peavy's tumbling team form a pyramid at a recent Hartnell basketball game. From top to bottom are Mr. Peavy, Evelyn Dutra, Dorothy Smith, Merv Ferreira, Claude Brogden, John Carlyon and Ted Dennis.

—Lew Patterson Photo

## Peavy's Tumblers Perform Here; Do Outside Shows

By GLORIA SCROGGS

Hartnell's tumbling team, under G. Darwin Peavy's direction, has been performing "ever since Mr. Peavy has been here." Since tumbling consists only of ground work the group is really a gymnastic one. They tumble and work out on the parallel bars, rings, horizontal bars, spring board and trampoline.

In addition to their regular performances at the Hartnell basketball games, the team has been active in outside shows for many years. Some of the shows have been at the local high school, U.S.O.'s,

Masonic lodge, P.G. and E., and Knights of Pythias. The team has done as many as 43 shows in one season.

This semester there is only one gymnastics class, but those who participate in the shows manage to work out on their own. Their routines vary according to the group size and personnel present. Those students taking part in this year's activities have been: Evelyn Dutra, Marguerite Sander, Eleanor Guidotti, Ruby Bennett, Dorothy Smith, Ted Dennis, Merv Ferreira, John Carlyon, Claude Brogden, Geordie Corbett and Bill Nye.

## TRANSFERS...

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continued, "while the other junior colleges have been dropping, Hartnell transfers have boosted our average. State college transfers also dropped during the year, even more than those from junior colleges."

## Flying Club To See Movies

The Flying Club plans a meeting for today. Two movies, "Before You Fly" and "Landings," are to be presented. If these prove successful more movies will be scheduled.

## SCHOLARSHIPS

Deadlines for two scholarship applications have been announced by Mr. Jerry Girdner. Applications for Elks Club scholarships must be postmarked not later than tomorrow, he said, and U.C. scholarship applications must be postmarked before March 1.



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## Harts Nip Lobos in Close Contest; MPC Here Tonight for Final Game

Coming from behind after the first ten minutes of play, the Hartnell Panthers defeated the Monterey Lobos 53 to 42 Thursday night, February 21, on the opponents' hardwoods. Monterey jumped off to a fast 7-to-0 lead at the five-minute mark and 12 to 4 at the ten. From here the Panthers, led by the Wong brothers, overtook the Lobos and coasted in to an easy victory.

The two teams complete their cage seasons in the Hartnell gym tonight.

After Fred Willson took the lid off the bucket by throwing in a

free throw after four minutes had elapsed, the Harts rolled on, and enjoyed a 25 to 20 halftime lead.

Big Ed Macha led the Panthers in the scoring column by collecting 11 points, nine coming in the second half. Wally Wong, stellar Hartnell guard, along with his brother John, played terrific floor games and came through with nine and eight points, respectively.

Jim Brooks, tall Lobo center, captured high scoring honors for the game, racking up 12 markers in his losing battle.

Coach Ed Adams used his entire team, showing no effort to run up the score against the hapless Lobos.

## Frankie Albert Men's Club Guest On March 2

Frankie Albert, San Francisco Forty-Niner grid star, will be the guest of the Men's Club Thursday, March 2, at 10:30. Formerly an all-American at Stanford, Albert now is a professional player, and is on the public relations staff of Golden State Company.

Albert will give a behind-the-scenes view of football tactics and players, as well as show a color film of the most dramatic plays in the Forty-Niners' 1949 games which he edited for Golden State.

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FRANKIE ALBERT

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history, Albert added a new record to his already long list of gridiron honors by leading the All-America Football Conference in punting last season.

Known as "Shorty" to his teammates, Albert claims his comparatively small size has forced him to use his head for its original purpose instead of as a crash-landing field for his huskier opponents.

Frankie is a firm advocate of football, and believes that the philosophy that one learns in winning or losing games is the best preparation for the American way of life.

## Locals Drop Close Games; Menlo 72-70, San Mateo 59-58

Luckless Hartnell cagers went down to defeat before the Oaks of Menlo J.C., 72 to 70, last Friday night on the local college court. Behind at the intermission, 35 to 30, and down 13 points with ten minutes remaining to play, the Panthers fought an uphill battle to tie the Oaks at the end of the regular playing time, 62 to 62.

## Teams Battle Hard in Race For Intramural Lead

Intramural basketball teams that battle it out every day in the Hartnell gymnasium are receiving wholehearted support from the spectators that crowd the bleachers during the noon hour.

The Mainliners, the Vultures, and the Hawaii teams are without a loss to blot their records as of yesterday. The other teams are not faring too well, but still consider themselves in the medal race.

Two important games this last week were the Gold Brick-Farmer encounter which was won by the Gold Bricks, 20-29. Also the Mainliners won out over the Mighty Mighty, 25-18.

## Golf Team Best in Years

On the Hartnell campus this semester loom the prospects for one of the best golf teams in the history of the school. Coach Elliott "Ab" Wilson announced that his team would be a very strong threat to the defending champion, City College of San Francisco, which has captured the bunting four years running.

Last year's only returning letterman, John Kirkland, will lead the capable challengers onto the links and will be helped considerably by the return of Jerry Skillicorn from the army. Three high school graduates, Glen Albaugh, John Waterman, and Bob Moore will also prove a great asset to the Panthers. The latter three led the Salinas Cowboys to three C.C.A.L. championships.

Coach Wilson encourages all who wish to participate on the golf team to sign up and they will be able to play free at the local course on week days and Saturday morning. Golf balls are furnished for the golfers who participate in the matches which number nine this season.

Fred Willson got two fast buckets to give the Harts a 66 to 63 lead at the start of the overtime period but Menlo overtook Hartnell with Forward Bob Yardley swishing a 25-footer in the last 30 seconds which meant the deciding margin for victory.

In the first half the Panthers got off to a good start, leading 6 to 0 after three minutes had been played. Then the Menlo Oaks caught the Harts and it was a nip-and-tuck fight until the Oaks put on a scoring spree in the last five minutes of the initial half.

Fred Willson was again the big gun for the Panthers, scoring 25 points, 11 of them coming in the final seven minutes. Herb Withers and big Ed Macha brought in 18 points each for the Panther cause and the Wong brothers played their usual fine floor game for the Harts.

Ken Flowers, classy Menlo guard was the standout star of the game with his stirring floor game and his essential point getting which amounted to 17 markers. Irv Gislser, Flowers' running mate as guard, copped high point honors, racking up 20 points in the Oaks' race to victory.

A second heartbreaker was lost Saturday night as a 59-58 battle was won by San Mateo Junior College. The inability of the Harts to hit for a fair percentage of their shots was responsible for the loss.

Coach Ed Adams' boys set the pace early in the game by taking an 11-7 lead in the first five minutes. The lead changed sides eight times in the first half, but the Panthers were kept in the lead most of the initial period by the 12 points scored by Fred Willson. The Harts started off the second half by dumping 17 points in the first seven minutes while the Bulldogs of San Mateo hit only 10. Again the lead began changing hands rapidly as the pace became blistering.

San Mateo led 51-50 at 13 minutes and 57-56 at the 16-minute mark. With a minute and a half remaining, with the score standing 59-56, Bill Bell was given two charity shots, missing them both. Ed Macha then sunk the final field goal from 30 feet out, and the game came to a fast half with the score 59-58.

## Baseballers

All baseball players are to see Coach Jess Regli to sign up for the junior college conference. This will have to be done before men are eligible to play. The sooner the players sign up and start practicing, the better chance they and the team will have to make a good record, Regli said.

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## Skillicorn, Smith Win Doubles

Local badminton ace Gerald Skillicorn managed to come through with a win in the mixed doubles of the Northern California badminton championships after losing to John McCormick in the second round of the singles.

Skillicorn teamed with Mrs. Claire Smith, ranked number four nationally in 1942, in winning the mixed doubles crown.

Seeded eighth in the large field of topnotch net stars, Skillicorn was not up to his usual playing performance when he dropped the match to McCormick in two straight games. McCormick lost the next round to Martin Mendex, ranked number one nationally, who went on to win the Northern California singles title.

Two weeks ago Gerald Skillicorn and Bob Jones received awards from the school for winning the N.C.J.C.C. doubles and singles.



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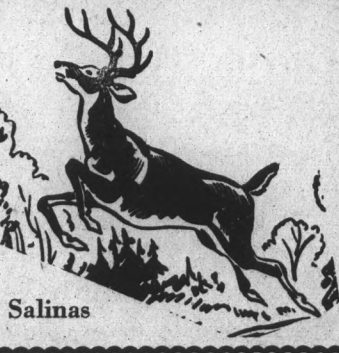
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